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By the Lord Lieutenant General and General Governor of IRELAND.

A PROCLAMATION.

Townſhend.

WHEREAS His Majeſty hath ſignified unto Us His Royal Pleaſure, That the Parliament of this Kingdom, which now ſtands prorogued to Tueſday the Twenty-eighth Day of this Inſtant Auguſt be further prorogued to Tueſday the Sixteenth Day of October next; We do therefore publiſh and declare, that the ſaid Parliament be, and accordingly the ſaid Parliament is, hereby, further prorogued to Tueſday the Sixteenth Day of October next: Whereof the Lords ſpiritual and Temporal, and the Commons in this preſent Parliament, are to take Notice accordingly. Given at His Majeſty's Caſtle of Dublin the 21ſt Day of Auguſt, 1770.

By His Excellency's Command,

George Macartney.

GOD ſave the KING.

WHEREAS by an Act paſſed in the laſt Seſſion of Parliament, entitled, "An Act for regiſtering the Prices at which Corn is ſold in the ſeveral Counties of Great Britain, and the Quantity exported and imported," It was enacted, That the Lord High Treaſurer, or the Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Treaſury for the Time being, ſhall, from Time to Time, appoint a fit Perſon to receive at the Treaſury ſuch Returns of the Prices of Corn, and of the Quantity exported and imported, as by the ſaid Act are directed to be made; the firſt Appointment to be made before the firſt Day of Auguſt, 1770, and publiſhed Eight Times, at the leaſt, in the London Gazette; Notice is therefore hereby given, in Purſuance of the ſaid Act of Parliament, that the Lords Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Treaſury have appointed William Cooke, Eſq; to receive, at the Treaſury, ſuch Returns of the Prices of Corn, and of the Quantities exported and imported, as are directed by the ſaid Act of Parliament.

Berlin, Auguſt 18. Some Days ago Prince Wolkonſky, the Ruſſian Ambaſſador at Warſaw, paſſed through this City, in his Return to Carlſbad to that Court, and had an Audience of his Pruſſian Majeſty at Potzdam.

On the 13th, her Serene Highneſs the Landgravine of Heſſe Darmſtadt, Mother to the Princeſs Royal of Pruſſia, having taken Leave of the Queen and Royal Family, ſet out from hence on her Return Home, after a Stay of two Months at Potzdam.

Bruſſels, Auguſt 21. On Sunday Evening arrived here his Royal Highneſs Prince Charles of Sweden, and Yeſterday, early in the Morning, he ſet out for Mons to ſee the Review of the Troops there, which was to be that Day. His Royal Highneſs returns here to-day with the Prince of Starhemberg, and, it is ſaid, he will go directly to Paris.

Laſt Wedneſday the 15th, the King of Pruſſia, accompanied by the Prince Royal and Prince Ferdinand of Pruſſia, ſet out from Potzdam for Sileſia, in order to review and manœuvre the Troops in that Province: After which, that Monarch will pay a Viſit to the Emperor, at his Camp near Neuſtadt in Moravia, which is ſaid to conſiſt of thirty-ſix Battalions of Infantry, and thirty-four Squadrons of Cavalry. His Pruſſian Majeſty will, it is thought, return about the 20th of September to Potzdam, where, we hear, the Electreſs Dowager of Saxony, intends to pay him a Viſit on the 25th of that Month.

War-Office, Auguſt 6.

1ſt Troop of Horſe Guards, Surgeon Robert Sinclair is appointed to be Surgeon, vice Abraham Wharly Humphries, deceaſed.

1ſt Troop of Horſe Grenadier Guards, Major James Adeane to be Lieutenant and Lieutenant Colonel, vice Sir Frederick Evelyn; by Purchaſe.

Ditto, Lieutenant and Captain Claude Benezet to be Major, vice James Adeane; by Purchaſe.

Ditto, Guidon and Captain Samuel Haynes to be Lieutenant and Captain, vice Claude Benezet; by Purchaſe.

Ditto, Sub-Lieutenant Edward Whitwell to be Guidon and Captain, vice Samuel Haynes; by Purchaſe.

Ditto, Adjutant and Sub-Lieutenant William Niſbet to be Sub Lieutenant, vice Edward Whitwell; by Purchaſe.

Royal Regiment of Horſe Guards, Cornet Guſtavus Belford to be Lieutenant, vice Thomas Evans; by Purchaſe.

Ditto, Thomas Preſcot, Gent. to be Cornet, vice Guſtavus Belford; by Purchaſe.

1ſt Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Enſign Lord Thomas Pelham Clinton, from the 12th Regiment of Foot, to be Captain, vice John Fletcher; by Purchaſe.

2d Regiment of Dragoon Guards, George Street, Gent. to be Adjutant, vice —— Stiſted; by Purchaſe.

1ſt Regiment of Dragoons, George Walmeſley Gent. to be Adjutant, vice Thomas Garth; by Purchaſe.

3d Regiment of Dragoons, Samuel Cooper, Clerk, to be Chaplain, vice William Adair, deceaſed.

7th Regiment of Dragoons, —— Johnes, Gent to be Cornet, vice Nicholas Fenwick preferred; by Purchaſe.

1ſt Regiment of Foot Guards, Walter Strictland, Gent. to be Enſign, vice John Thomas de Burgh preferred; by Purchaſe.

2d Regiment of Foot, Robert Baille, Gent. to be Enſign, vice Roſs Oſborn Gaven, who retires.

Ditto, Lieutenant George Charleton from Half Pay, to be Lieutenant, vice Avarel Daniel, who exchanges.

8th Regiment of Foot, Enſign Thomas Bennet to be Lieutenant, vice John Lee; by Purchaſe.

12th Regiment of Foot, Charles Haſtings, Gent. to be Enſign, vice Lord Thomas Pelham Clinton, preferred; by Purchaſe,

13th Regiment of Foot, Enſign Thomas Cox Morgan to be Lieutenant, vice Robert Auguſtus Johnſon, who retires on Half Pay.

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Ditto, Enſign Samuel Cleavland from Half Pay, to be Enſign, vice Thomas Cox Morgan.

15*th Regiment of Foot*, Captain Lieutenant Iſaac Auguſtus D'Aripé to be Captain, vice Robert Stobo, deceaſed.

Ditto, Lieutenant Thomas Mitchell, to be Captain Lieutenant, vice Iſaac Auguſtus D'Aripè.

Ditto, George Montague, Gent. to be Enſign, vice James Douglas, preferred.

Ditto, Harry Ditmaſs, Gent. to be Enſign, vice John Philips; by Purchaſe.

20*th Regiment of Foot*, Lieutenant William Renton to be Quarter Maſter, vice John Stenhouſe, who reſigns.

29*th Regiment of Foot*, Enſign David St. Clair to be Lieutenant, vice Andrew Mills; by Purchaſe.

31*ſt Regiment of Foot*, Captain Lieutenant Alexander Niſbett to be Captain, vice Thomas Varlſe, deceaſed.

Ditto, Lieutenant Henry Sampſon to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice Alexander Niſbett.

Ditto, Enſign John Lewis Gage to be Lieutenant, vice Henry Sampſon.

Ditto, John William Romer, Gent. to be Enſign, vice John Lewis Gage.

33*d Regiment of Foot*, John Hill Harries, Gent. to be Enſign, vice Charles Symmons, by Purchaſe.

35*th Regiment of Foot*, Thomas Williams, Gent, to be Enſign, vice Nathaniel Weld; by Purchaſe.

43*d Regiment of Foot*, Enſign William Money to be Lieutenant, vice John Monins; by Purchaſe.

Ditto, James Loſack, Gent. to be Enſign, vice William Money; by Purchaſe.

59*th Regiment of Foot*, Robert Gardiner Gent. to be Enſign, vice Dennet Milton Woodward, preferred; by Purchaſe.

60*th Regiment of Foot*, Peter Graham, Gent. to be Enſign, vice John Amiel; by Purchaſe.

64*th Regiment of Foot*, Captain Lieutenant Henry Nairn to be Captain, vice Henry Watſon Powell, preferred.

Ditto, Lieutenant Patrick Calder to be Captain Lieutenant, vice Henry Nairn.

Ditto, Enſign Thomas Bomford to be Lieutenant, vice Patrick Calder.

Ditto, John Hill Forſter, Gent. to be Enſign, vice Thomas Bomford.

65*th Regiment of Foot*, Surgeon William Fletcher to be Surgeon, vice John Maiben, who retires.

68*th Regiment of Foot*, Lieutenant Joſeph Dunbar to be Lieutenant, vice William Morton, who exchanges.

69*th Regiment of Foot*, Samuel Gauntlett, Clerk, to be Chaplain, vice Stephen Baggs; by Purchaſe.

Enſign Adam Gordon, of Captain Williams's Independent Company of Invalids at Jerſey, to be Engſin to Captain Fletcher's Independent Company at Pendennis Caſtle, vice William Smith, deceaſed.

Second Lieutenant Henry Downing, of the Artillery, to be Enſign to Captain Williams's Company of Invalids at Jerſey, vice Adam Gordon, removed.

General James Cholmondeley to be Governor of the Garriſon of Cheſter, in the Room of the Earl Cholmondeley deceaſed.

Major David Home to be Lieutenant Governor of the ſaid Garriſon, in the Room of General Cholmondeley.

Admiralty-Office, Auguſt 7, 1770.

Whereas, about Four o'Clock in the Morning of Friday the 27th Day of July laſt, a dreadful Fire broke out in His Majeſty's Dock Yard at Portſmouth, which raged with ſuch Violence, that before the ſame could be extinguiſhed, ſeveral of His Majeſty's Storehouſes and Buildings were burnt down, and great Quantities of Naval Stores totally conſumed and deſtroyed, and others greatly damaged; And whereas there is Reaſon to ſuſpect that the ſaid Buildings and Stores were wilfully and maliciouſly ſet on Fire, by ſome evil-diſpoſed Perſons, at preſent unknown: In order therefore to diſcover, and bring to Juſtice, the Perſons guilty of the abovementioned Offence, My Lords Commiſſioners of the Admiralty are pleaſed to promiſe a Reward of ONE THOUSAND POUNDS *unto, or amongſt, ſuch Perſon, or Perſons, as ſhall, within Three Months from this Time, diſcover any of the Offenders guilty of the ſaid Offence, ſo as ſuch Offenders, or any one or more of them, ſhall be apprehended and duly convicted thereof; the ſaid Reward to be paid clear of all Deductions whatſoever, by the Treaſurer of His Majeſty's Navy, immediately after the Conviction of ſuch Offender or Offenders.*

And, as a further Encouragement, His Majeſty is pleaſed to promiſe His moſt gracious Pardon to any of the ſaid Offenders, (except the Perſon who actually ſet the Premiſſes on Fire) who ſhall diſcover any one or more of his or their Accomplices in the ſaid Offence, ſo as he or they ſhall be apprehended and proſecuted to Conviction.

Ph. Stephens.

General Poſt-Office, Auguſt 24, 1770.

This Morning, about a Quarter before Four o'Clock, the Poſt-Boy, carrying the Cheſter Mail from this Office, was attacked and robbed at the Foot of Highgate Hill, by a ſingle Highwayman, who took out of the Cart a ſmall Mail ticketted Cheſter B. B. containing the following Bags of Letters, viz.

Barnet, St. Albans, Dunſtable, Fenny Stratford, Stony Stratford, Daventry, Rugby, Lutterworth, Luton, Towceſter, Ampthill, and Bedford.

The Perſon who committed this Robbery is deſcribed to be a tall thin Man, about Five Feet Nine Inches high, dreſſed in a light coloured cloſe-bodied Coat, dark Waiſtcoat, white Breeches, Boots and Spurs, a round Hat turned up only behind, and well mounted on a black Horſe, about fourteen Hands and an Half high, with two white Feet before, and a cut Tail.

Whoever ſhall apprehend and convict, or cauſe to be apprehended and convicted, the Perſon who committed this Robbery, will be intitled to a Reward of TWO HUNDRED POUNDS, over and above the Reward by Act of Parliament for apprehending Highwaymen: Or, if any Perſon, whether an Accomplice in the ſaid Robbery, or knowing thereof, ſhall make Diſcovery whereby the Perſon who committed the ſame may be apprehended and brought to Juſtice, ſuch Diſcoverer will, upon Conviction of the Perſon who committed this Robbery, be intitled to the ſaid Reward of TWO HUNDRED POUNDS, and will alſo receive His Majeſty's moſt gracious Pardon.

By Command of the Poſtmaſter General,

Anth. Todd, *Secretary.*

General Poſt-Office, Aug. 19, 1770.

This Morning, about Four o'Clock, the Poſt-Boy, carrying the Cheſter Mail from this Office, was attacked and robbed near the Six Mile Stone on Finchley Common, by a ſingle Highwayman, who took out of the ſaid Mail two Bags of Letters, ticketed Coleſhill and Iriſh.

The Perſon, who committed this Robbery, is deſcribed to be rather a thin Man, about five Feet ſix Inches high, dreſſed in a dark brown cloſe-bodied Coat, and well mounted on a very light Bay Gelding, about Fifteen Hands high, with a cut Tail.

Whoever ſhall apprehend and convict, or cauſe to be apprehended and convicted, the Perſon who committed the ſaid Robbery, will be intitled to a Reward of TWO HUNDRED POUNDS, over and above the Reward by Act of Parliament for apprehending Highwaymen: Or if any Perſon, whether an Accomplice in the ſaid Robbery, or knowing thereof, ſhall make Diſcovery whereby the Perſon who committed the ſame, may be apprehended and brought to Juſtice, ſuch Diſcoverer will, upon Conviction of the Perſon who committed this Robbery, be intitled to the ſaid Reward

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of TWO HUNDRED POUNDS, and will alſo receive His Majeſty's moſt gracious Pardon.

By Command of the Poſt-maſter General,
Anth. Todd, *Secretary.*

General Poſt-Office, July 20, 1770.

The Chicheſter Mail which was ſent from this Office, this Morning about Two o'Clock, was ſoon afterwards ſtolen out of the Mail Cart, between Newington and Clapham, by ſome Perſon or Perſons unknown, who cut the Straps which faſtened the Mail to the Cart.

The ſaid Mail contained the following Bags of Letters, viz.

Chicheſter, Petworth, Arundel, Midhurſt, Havant, Godalmin, Haſlemere, Steyning, Guilford, Shoreham, Kingſton, Claremont, Cobham, Ripley, Petersfield, and Portſmouth.

Whoever ſhall apprehend and convict, or cauſe to be apprehended and convicted, the Perſon or Perſons who ſtole the ſaid Mail, will be intitled to a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds: *Or, if any Perſon or Perſons, whether an Accomplice or knowing thereof, ſhall make Diſcovery whereby the Offender or Offenders may be apprehended and brought to Juſtice; ſuch Diſcoverer will, upon Conviction of the Perſon or Perſons who ſtole the ſaid Mail, be intitled to the ſaid Reward of* Two Hundred Pounds, *and will alſo receive His Majeſty's moſt gracious Pardon.*

By Command of the Poſtmaſter General,
Anth. Todd, *Secretary.*

Royal Hoſpital for Seamen at Greenwich, July 17, 1770.

The Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Royal Hoſpital for Seamen at Greenwich, hereby give Notice, That at Salters Hall, in London, on Wedneſday the Nineteenth Day of December next, or as ſoon after as may be, the following Eſtates will be let on Leaſe for Twenty-one Years, or under, to commence upon the Twelfth Day of May, One thouſand ſeven hundred and ſeventy one; that is to ſay, Keſwick *and* Wanthwate Mills *with the Appurtenances, in the Manor of* Caſtlerigg *and* Darwentwater *and County of* Cumberland, *now in the Tenure or Occupation of Joſeph Croſthwaite; and a Parcel of Ground, Part of* Warkes Common, *in the Barony and Manor of* Warke, *and County of* Northumberland, *lately allotted to the ſaid Commiſſioners upon a Diviſion of the ſaid Common, and now in the Tenure or Occupation of Lionel Charlton. All Perſons willing to take the ſaid Eſtates, are deſired to give in their Propoſals in Writing, to Mr. Ibbetſon, at the Admiralty-Office, London.*

N. B. *Keſwick Mill has been lately rebuilt; Wanthwate Mill, to which a Dwelling Houſe and Stable will be added, is now rebuilding; and a Set of Houſing is to be built on Warkes Common Allotment, againſt the Time of Entry.*

John Ibbetſon.

Warwick, Auguſt 23, 1770.

Notice is hereby given, by Order of the Deputy-Lieutenants of the County of Warwick, (in the Abſence of the Lord Lieutenant) at their General Meeting this Day held, that the Militia of the ſaid County are to aſſemble at Warwick on Saturday the 6th Day of October next, to be Trained and Exerciſed for the Space of Twenty-eight Days together: And that every Militia Man not appearing at the Time and Place above-mentioned, and not labouring under any Infirmity incapacitating him from ſerving, will (on being convicted thereof) incur a Penalty of Twenty Pounds, and on Non-Payment thereof, ſuffer Six Months Impriſonment without Bail.

T. Beardſley, *Clerk of the General Meetings.*

ALL Perſons who have any Demands on the Eſtate of the Reverend Mr. Oliver Battely, late Rector of Iron-Acton in the County of Glouceſter, deceaſed, are deſired to ſend in an Account thereof to Mr. James Baniſter, Merchant, in Queen-ſquare; or to Joſeph Fowle, Attorney, in Small-ſtreet, Briſtol.

HIS Majeſty has been pleaſed to grant unto John Johnſon, of Ludham in the County of Norfolk, his Letters Patent for his moſt uſeful and new-invented Method of Tanning Leather.

THE Creditors, who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded againſt John Froſtick, of the Old Bailey, in the Pariſh of St. Martin Ludgate in the City of London, Carpenter, Dealer, and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects, on Friday the 21ſt Day of September next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Brown's Coffee-houſe in Mitre Court Fleet-ſtreet, London, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting or defending one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; or to their Compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt David Nelſon, of the Pariſh of St. Mary Le Bone in the County of Middleſex, Cabinet-maker, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 21th and 21ſt Days of September next, and on the 9th Day of October following, at Nine o'Clock in the Forenoon on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Williams, in Bartlet's Buildings, Holborn, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Thomas Jackſon Cleveland, of High Holborn in the County of Middleſex, Haberdaſher, Dealer, and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 11th and 25th Days of September next, and on the 19th Day of October following, at Ten of the Clock in Forenoon on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chooſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Meſſ. Herne and Sons, Attornies, Pater-noſter Row, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt James Lewis Triquett, of Maſon's Court, in the Pariſh of St. Mary White Chapple in the County of Middleſex, Dyer, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 11th and 21ſt Days of September next, and on the 9th Day of October following, at Nine o'Clock in the Forenoon on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chooſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Stevens Totton, in Spittle Square, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Smith, of the City of Briſtol, Soapboiler and Chandler, and late a Partner with Joſiah Roſt, of the ſaid City of Briſtol, Soapboiler and Chandler, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 11th and 12th Days of September next, and on the 9th Day of October following, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon on each of the ſaid Days, at the Houſe of Jaſper Hawkins, Vintner, known by the Name of the Three Tuns Tavern in Corn-ſtreet, Briſtol, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chooſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Meſſ. Osborne and Seager, Attornies, in Briſtol.

Whereas